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SUBJECT: GRENADIAN UFO RESOLUTION

REF: (A) USUN 4644; (B) STATE 274296

1. ITEM 123, ESTABLISHMENT OF AN AGENCY OR A DEPARTMENT OF THE UN FOR UNDERTAKING, COORDINATING AND DISSEMINATING THE RESULTS OF REASEARCH INTO UNIDENTIRIED FLYING OBJECTS RELATED PHENOMENA WAS TAKEN UP BY THE UN SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE AFTERNOON OF NOV 28. PRIME MINISTER GAIRY (GRENADA) MADE A SHORT AND SOBER INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT LAYING THE GROUND WORK FOR A LENGTHY WELL-RESARCHED AND ORGANIZED STATEMENT BY DR. FRIDAY (GRENADA). DR. FRIDAY'S REMARKS CONTAINED EXTRACTS AND QUOTES FROM MANY SOURCES OF PRO-UFO MATERIALS INCLUDING NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS, E.G., INTERCONTINENTAL UFO GALACTIC SPACECRAFT-RESEARCH AND ANALYTIC NETWORK (ICUFON), UN CORRESPONDENCE AND PRINTED MATTER, NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES REVIEW OF COLORADO UNIVERSITY STUDY ON UFO'S, POCKET NOVELS, E.G., PROJECT BLUE BOOK BY STEIGER (PUBLISHED BY BALLANTINE), AND NUMEROUS MEDIA ARTICLES,
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SOME DEALING WITH PRESIDENT CARTER'S SIGHTING A UFO WHILE GOVERNOR AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A UFO OFFICE IN NASA. FRIDAY'S STATEMENT UTILIZED TECHNIQUE OF MIXING SPECIFICS AND GENERALITIES TOGETHER IN A BATTER OF UNQUANTIFIABLE ADJECTIVES. NO ADDITIONAL SPEAKERS WERE INSCRIBED AND THE MEETING ADJOURNED. COPY OF SPEECH BEING POUCHED TO DEPT. (IO/UNP-MACUK AND AMBASSY BRIDGETOWN).

2. ON NOVEMBER 29, MISOFF MET WITH DR. FRIDAY AT HIS REQUEST. FRIDAY PRODUCED COPY OF A DRAFT RESOLUTION CALLING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE TO CONDUCT A SURVEY OF UFO PHENOMENON WHICH INCLUDED:

A) THE RECENT HISTORY AND CURRENT STATUS OF THE UFO PHENOMENON;

B) PAST AND CURRENT ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER INTERGOVERNMENTAL BODIES WITH REGARD TO THIS ITEM, AND OF INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS EXISTING OR CONTEMPLATED CONCERNING POSSIBLE CONTACT AND COMMUNICATION WITH EXTRATERRESTRIAL BEINGS;

C) AN ACCOUNT OF THE SCIENTIFIC, TECHNOLOGICAL, ECONOMIC, LEGAL, POLITICAL AND OTHER ASPECTS OF THIS ITEM;

D) AN ANALYSIS OF THE BENEFITS, PROBLEMS AND DANGERS WHICH MIGHT BE FACED BY MANKIND SHOULD CONTACT IN ANY FORM BE MADE WITH EXTRA-TERRESTRIAL LIFE;

E) AN INDICATION REGARDING PRACTICAL MEANS OF PROMOTING INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN THE FURTHERANCE OF REARCH INTO UFO'S AND CONTACT WITH ALIEN INTELLIGENT LIFE AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE TITLE OF THIS ITEM;

MISOFF INFORMED FRIDAY THAT US COULD NOT SUPPORT THIS
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RESOLUTION BUT MIGHT CONSIDER A VERY BASIC RESOLUTION ALONG LINES OF REFTEL B.

3. AT GRENADIAN REQUEST, MISOFFS MET WITH GAIRY, FRIDAY, AND PERMRREP DOLLARD ON 30 NOVEMBER. GAIRY RECAPPED POINTS IN FRIDAY'S SPEECH OF 29 NOVEMBER. HE INDICATED HE HAD CO-SPONSORSHIP AS WELL AS SUPPORT FOR ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION AS OUTLINED IN 2, ABOVE, BUT WISHED US SUPPORT. HE PRODUCED REVISED DRAFT RESOLUTION CALLING FOR SECRETARY GENERAL TO CONDUCT SURVEY IN LIEU OF ESTABLISHMENT OF A SPECIAL COMMITTEE. HE REQUESTED US POSITION ON AMENDED RESOLUTION. HE INDICATED THAT ORIGINAL DRAFT RES WOULD NOT BE TABLED IF US WOULD SUPPORT THE REVISED VERSION. GAIRY WAS CORDIAL AND EMPHASIZED FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES AND RECENT "CONCRETE" EVIDENCE OF US FRIENDSHIP.

MISOFF LATER INFORMED FRIDAY THAT US COULD NOT REPEAT, NOT REPORT REVISED RES.

4. IN SPECIAL POLITICAL COMMITTEE MEETING AFTERNOON OF 30 NOVEMBER, FRIDAY, INTRODUCED REVISED DRAFT RESOLUTION, TEXT OF WHICH FOLLOWS IN PARA 7.

5. AMB. UPADHYAY (NEPAL) REQUESTED THAT COMMITTEE DELAY FURTHER CONSIDERATION OF ITEM UNTIL 5 DECEMBER TO ALLOW TIME TO STUDY RESOLUTION AND SEEK INSTRUCTIONS. IT WAS SO DECIDED AND IN THE ABSENCE OF ANY ADDITIONAL SPEAKERS, THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED.

6. UKUN INFORMED US IT IS TOTALLY OPPOSED TO THE ITEM AND HAS PRESENT INSTRUCTIONS FROM LONDON TO VOTE AGAINST ANY UFO RESOLUTION. ADDITIONALLY UK MISSION INFORMED US THAT IN A TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN GAIRY AND AMB. RICHARD (UKUN) ON THIS ITEM GAIRY SAID HE HAD US SUPPORT FOR TABLED RESOLUTION.

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7. QUOTE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,
HAVING CONSIDERED THE ITEM ENTITLED "ESTABLISHMENT OF AN
AGENCY OR DEPARTMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS FOR UNDERTAKING,
CO-ORDINATING AND DISSEMINATING THE RESULTS OF RESEARCH INTO UN-
IDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS(UFO'S) AND RELATED PHENOMENA",
DESIRING TO FOSTER GREATER INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION IN
THE CO-ORDINATION, EVALUATION AND DISSEMINATION OF DATA
ON ALL ASPECTS OF THE UFO PHENOMENON FOR THE BENEFIT
OF ALL MANKIND,
NOTING THAT THE UFO PHENOMENON IS NOT RELATED JUST TO ONE
COUNTRY OR ONE PART OF THE EARTH, BUT IS A WORLD-WIDE
PHENOMENON WITH SIGNIFICANT INTEREST FOR ALL MANKIND,
MINDFUL THAT THERE IS AGROWING AWARENESS OF THE UFO PHENOMENON
BY PEOPLES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD,
RECOGNIZING THAT INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES ARE UNDERTAKING ON
THEIR OWN OR ARE TAKING INDIVIDUAL INTEREST IN RESEARCH INTO
THE UFO PHENOMENON AND ITS IMPOICATIONS FOR MANKIND,

CONSCIOUS THAT THE EFFORTS TO INVESTIGATE AND
UNDERSTAND THE UFO PHENOMENON COULD HAVE A PROFOUND EFFECT
ON MAN,
TAKING NOTE OF THE STATEMENT ON THIS ITEM MADE BY THE REPRESENTATIVE
OF GRENADA AT THE 35TH MEETING OF THE SPECIAL POLITICAL CO-
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MMITTEE OF THE THIRTY-SECOND SESSION OF THE ASSEMBLY ON
28 NOVEMBER 1977,

1. REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO CONSIDER THE SCOPE AND
VARIOUS ASPECTS OF THIS ITEM AND TO UNDERTAKE, FOR CONSIDERATION
BY THE THIRTY-THIRD SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, A SURVEY
OF THE UFO PHENOMENON WHICH SHOULD INCLUDE:

(A) THE RECENT HISTORY AND CURRENT STATUS OF THE UFO
PHENOMENON;

(B) THE RESULTS OF STUDIES AND SUCH DOCUMENTATION AND
OTHER DATA PERTINENT TO THIS ITEM AS MAY BE PROVIDED FROM
RECORDS OF REPRESENTATIVE GOVERNMENTS, THE COMMITTEE ON
THE PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE, THE UNITED NATIONS
EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION, THE WORLD
HEALTH ORGANIZATION, THE INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY
AGENCY, THE UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME, THE
COMMITTEE ON SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND OTHER INTER-
GOVERNMENTAL BODIES;

(C) PAST AND CURRENT ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED NATIONS,
THE SPECIALIZED AGENCIES AND OTHER INTERGOVERNMENTAL BODIES
WITH REGARD TO THIS ITEM, AND OF EXISTING INTERNATIONAL
AGREEMENTS CONCERNING POSSIBLE CONTACT AND COMMUNICATION
WITH EXTRATERRESTRIAL BEINGS;

(D) AN ACCOUNT OF THE SCIENTIFIC, TECHNOLOGICAL, ECONOMIC,
LEGAL, POLITICAL AND OTHER ASPECTS OF THIS ITEM;

(E) AN ANALYSIS OF THE BENEFITS, PROBLEMS AND DANGERS
WHICH MIGHT BE FACED BY MANKIND SHOULD CONTACT IN ANY FORM
BE MADE WITH EXTRATERRESTRIAL LIFE;

(F) AN INDICATION REGARDING PRACTICAL MEANS OF PROMOTING
INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION IN THE FURTHERANCE OF RESEARCH
INTO UFO'S AND POSSIBLE CONTACT WITH ALIEN INTELLIGENT
LIFE AS CONTEMPLATED IN THE TITLE OF THE ITEM;

2. FURTHER REQUESTS THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TO TRANSMIT
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PRESENT RESOLUTION TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF ALL MEMBER
STATES;

3. DECIDES TO INCLUDE IN THE AGENDA OF THE THIRTY-THIRD
SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THE ITEM

ENTITLED: REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON THE CURRENT
STATUS OF RESEARCH INTO UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECTS
AND RELATED PHENOMENA.
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